Important Plants, Animals, and Habitats

This information is based on known occurrences or known geographic distribution of the species listed and represents the best available information available at the time the report was printed. For more information, please contact Beginning with Habitat.

Topsfield

Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Plants

Data from MNAP

None Documented

Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Animals

Data from MDIFW

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank	State Status
Bald Eagle	Haliaeetus leucocephalus	G5	S4B,S4N	SC

Rare and Exemplary Natural Communities and Ecosystems

Data from MNAP

Common Name	Scientific Name	Global Rank	State Rank
Eccentric Bog Ecosystem	Eccentric bog ecosystem	GNR	S3
Red and White Pine Forest	Red pine - white pine forest	G3G4	S3
Spruce - Pine Woodland	Red spruce - mixed conifer woodland	G3G5	S4
White Pine Forest	White pine - mixed conifer forest	G5	S4

Significant, Essential, and other Animal Habitats

Significant and Essential Habitats and Significant Vernal Pools from MDFIW

Habitat Type

Deer Wintering Area

Inland Waterfowl and Wading Bird Habitat

Bird Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Primarily from breeding bird atlas and based on county distribution data. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name
American Bittern	Botaurus lentiginosus
American Black Duck	Anas rubripes
American Three-toed Woodpecker	Picoides dorsalis
American Woodcock	Scolopax minor
Baltimore Oriole	Icterus galbula
Barn Swallow	Hirundo rustica
Barred Owl	Strix varia
Bay-breasted Warbler	Dendroica castanea
Black And White Warbler	Mniotilta varia
Black-billed Cuckoo	Coccyzus erythropthalmus
Blackburnian Warbler	Dendroica fusca
Black-throated Blue Warbler	Dendroica caerulescens
Black-throated Green Warbler	Dendroica virens
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	Polioptila caerulea
Bobolink	Dolichonyx oryzivorus
Brown Thrasher	Toxostoma rufum

Canada Warbler Wilsonia canadensis

Cape May Warbler Dendroica tigrina

Chestnut-sided Warbler Dendroica pensylvanica

Chimney Swift Chaetura pelagica

Common Eider Somateria mollissima

Common Loon Gavia immer

Common Nighthawk Chordeiles minor

Eastern Kingbird Tyrannus tyrannus

Eastern Meadowlark Sturnella magna

Eastern Towhee Pipilo erythrophthalmus

Field Sparrow Spizella pusilla

Great Blue Heron Ardea herodias

Great-crested Flycatcher Myiarchus crinitus

Greater Shearwater Puffinus gravis

Greater Yellowlegs Tringa melanoleuca

Horned Lark (breeding) Eremophila alpestris

Marsh Wren Cistothorus palustris

Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow Ammodramus nelsoni

Northern Flicker Colaptes auratus

Northern Parula Parula americana

Pied-billed Grebe Podilymbus podiceps

Purple Finch Carpodacus purpureus

Red Crossbill Loxia curvirostra

Rose-breasted Grosbeak Pheucticus ludovicianus

Ruddy Duck Oxyura jamaicensis

Ruddy Turnstone Arenaria interpres

Sanderling Calidris alba

Scarlet Tanager Piranga olivacea

Semipalmated Sandpiper Calidris pusilla

Veery Catharus fuscescens

Vesper Sparrow Pooecetes gramineus

Willet Catoptrophorus semipalmatus

Willow Flycatcher Empidonax traillii

Wood Thrush Hylocichla mustelina

Yellow-bellied Sapsucker Sphyrapicus varius

Fish Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, DMR, and USFWS. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name Sci	cientific Name
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American Eel Anguilla rostrata

Brook Trout	Salvelinus fontinalis
Wild Lake Trout (Togue)	Salvelinus namaycush

Other Species of Greatest Conservation Need

Data from MDIFW, Damsel/Dragonfly Survey, and Maine Butterfly Atlas. Based on known ranges, these species may occur in this geographic area if appropriate habitat is available.

Common Name	Scientific Name	
A Caddisfly	Hydroptila tomah	
Deep-throat Vertigo	Vertigo nylanderi	
Eastern Small-footed Myotis	Myotis leibii	
Graceful Clearwing	Hemaris gracilis	